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SUBJECT: ECS – AGROFORESTRY TRAINING FOR NATURAL RESOURCE
PROFESSIONALS ANNOUNCEMENT

ACTION DUE BY: MARCH 14, 2008

Purpose. To provide information about this upcoming workshop

Expiration Date. September 30, 2008

The University of Minnesota Extension Service is organizing the workshop “Agroforestry Training for Natural Resource Professionals.” This one-day training is scheduled for Thursday, March 22, 2008, in Willmar, Minnesota. (A separate bulletin will be issued for the same training in Lanesboro later.) Topics include planning and design of agroforestry practices, practice standards, economics and implementing agroforestry practices for various purposes. An agenda is attached to this bulletin. The registration fee is \$20 which will be paid from the State Office.

The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) encourages attendance and participation by employees at career-related professional conferences that enhance career development and professionalism. Employees desiring to attend this training on official time and expense must get their supervisor’s approval. An approved MN-PER-025 is required for expenses paid by NRCS. Time spent traveling outside of work hours to this event is not considered hours of work for overtime, compensatory time, or accrual of credit leave. District Conservationists should provide a list of approved employees to Ginger Kopp, State Staff Forester, ginger.kopp@mn.usda.gov by **March 14, 2008.**

For more information about this training contact Ginger Kopp at (651) 602-7909.

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